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1. This opinion contains indications relating to the following items:

- ☒ Box No. I Basis of the opinion
- ☐ Box No. II Priority
- ☐ Box No. III Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability
- ☐ Box No. IV Lack of unity of invention
- ☒ Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement
- ☐ Box No. VI Certain documents cited
- ☐ Box No. VII Certain defects in the international application
- ☐ Box No. VIII Certain observations on the international application

2. FURTHER ACTION

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3. For further details, see notes to Form PCT/ISA/220.

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Box No. I Basis of this opinion

1. With regard to the **language**, this opinion has been established on the basis of the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

☐ This opinion has been established on the basis of a translation from the original language into the following language _____, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (under Rules 12.3 and 23.1(b)).

2. With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application and necessary to the claimed invention, this opinion has been established on the basis of:

a. type of material

- ☐ a sequence listing
☐ table(s) related to the sequence listing

b. format of material

- ☐ in written format
☐ in computer readable form

c. time of filing/furnishing

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☐ filed together with the international application in computer readable form.
☐ furnished subsequently to this Authority for the purposes of search.

3. ☐ In addition, in the case that more than one version or copy of a sequence listing and/or table relating thereto has been filed or furnished, the required statements that the information in the subsequent or additional copies is identical to that in the application as filed or does not go beyond the application as filed, as appropriate, were furnished.

4. Additional comments:

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	<u>1-5</u>	YES
	Claims		NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	<u>1-5</u>	YES
	Claims		NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	<u>1-5</u>	YES
	Claims		NO

2. Citations and explanations :

Reference is made to the following documents:

D: JP 05-325210 (PIONEER ELECTRONIC CORP) 10 Dec. 1993 //

1. Novelty and Inventive Step

The subject matter of claims 1-5 of the present invention is a track jump apparatus and method which perform track jumping in consideration of the position of a pickup and the position of a lens of the pickup in an optical recording medium and system with eccentricity are provided.

D discloses a method of performing a stable jump without being affected by the eccentricity of an optical disk by varying either one of the time width or the wave height value of a brake pulse in accordance with the time till a zero crossing of tracking error signals which correspond to the amount of the disk eccentricity.

However, D does not include a servo which judges a position of the pickup from the error signal output from RF processing unit when a track jump is performed and outputs a track jump start/end control signal for the pickup, which gives clear indication of an improvement on a track access control system.

Therefore, the subject matter of the claim 1-5 of the present invention seems to be novel, and considered to involve an inventive step(PCT Article 33(2)-(3)).

2. Industrial Applicability

Claims 1-5 of the present invention meet the criteria set out in PCT Article 33(4) because they are directed to a track jump apparatus and method in an optical recording medium and system. Therefore, the subject matter of claims 1-5 is considered to be industrially applicable.